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XIII.—*On the Birds in the Imperial Collection at Vienna obtained from the Leverian Museum.* By A. VON PELZELN.

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PART II.

Birds not obtained directly from the Museum Leverianum.

THE names of those birds marked with an asterisk were contained in the same inventory as the preceding; but the birds are said to have been obtained from dealers. They were probably bought by dealers at the auction, and afterwards purchased by Herr von Fichtel.

The remaining birds were purchased from Herr von Fichtel and inscribed in a separate inventory. As in a few cases it is said expressly in the catalogue that the specimens were from the Museum Leverianum, and as other birds seem with the greatest probability to have been derived from the same source, I think it useful for greater completeness to enumerate these also.

VULTURIDÆ.

117. *SARCORAMPHUS GRYPHUS*, fem. (51.)

I have already spoken of this bird (*anteà*, p. 16), which is doubtless from the Leverian collection.

118. GYPOHIERAX ANGOLENSIS (Gmel.). (152.)

Angola Vulture, Pennant, Tour in Wales, 228, t. 19; Lath. Gen. Synops. i. 18. 14.

Falco angolensis, Gmel. Syst. i. 252.

Vultur angolensis, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 7. 17; Shaw, Mus. Lever. iv. p. 153, pl.

According to Latham this bird was described by Pennant from the fine collection of birds at Bryn y Pys, the seat of Richard Parry Price, Esq. There were two of them, which came from Angola. They were, says he, "very restless and querulous, and more active than is usual with this sluggish race." These, Latham continues, "are now finely preserved in the Leverian Museum;" and it seems that the specimen bought by Herr von Fichtel is one of these birds, and perhaps the type of Shaw's figure. Our individual agrees pretty well with Latham's and Shaw's descriptions and the figure; but the great remiges are white, as represented in Shaw's plate, and not black tipped with white, as erroneously described by Latham and Shaw.

+ *119. IBYCTER FORMOSUS (Lath.). (269.)

Red-throated Falcon, female, Latham, Gen. Synops. Suppl. 26. 82 (nec t. 9. f. 82).

Falco formosus, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 38. 92 (solum femina).

Ibycter formosus (Lath.), Pelzeln, Uebers. Geier u. Falken, 1862, 13.

It is possible that this is the specimen described by Latham (Syn. Suppl.), which came under his inspection among a collection of birds brought from Cayenne.

120. BUTEO LINEATUS (Gmel.). (36.)

Our specimen agrees in general with Latham's description of his Barred-breasted Buzzard (Gen. Syn. i. 56. 36), which is taken from a bird in the Mus. Lever.; but there are not two but five white bars on the rectrices, and the unspotted space of the quills measures only $1\frac{1}{2}$ ".

*121. ICTINIA PLUMBEA (Lath.). (255.)

Spotted-tailed Hobby, Lath. Gen. Syn. i. 106. 92.

Falco plumbeus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 49. 118.

There is in our collection a bird from Cayenne, which is either from the Leverian Museum or, more probably, was acquired in 1815 from M. Verreaux, and which agrees well with the description quoted above. Latham's type was in the collection of Miss Blomefield.

122. *ASTUR NOVÆ-HOLLANDIÆ* (Gmel.). (5.)

New-Holland White Eagle, Lath. Gen. Syn. i. 40. 18 (communicated by Dr. J. R. Forster).

Falco novæ-hollandiæ, Gmel. Syst. i. 264; Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 16. 22.

Falco albus, White, Journ. Voy. New S. Wales, 250. c. tab.

A specimen in white plumage is perhaps the type of White's description and plate; another (5), which, according to the catalogue, was of the normal coloration, is no longer in the collection.

STRIGIDÆ.

*123. *STRIX CASTANOPS*, Gould. (182.)

A specimen from New Holland.

CAPRIMULGIDÆ.

*124. *PODARGUS MEGACEPHALUS* (Lath.). (184.)

Great-headed Goatsucker, Lath. Gen. Syn. Suppl. ii. 265. 8.

Caprimulgus megacephalus, Lath. Ind. Orn. Suppl. lviii. 3.

Wedge-tailed Goatsucker, Lath. Gen. Hist. vii. 368?

This bird was called in the inventory *Caprimulgus crassirostris*.

*125. *ÆGOTHELES NOVÆ-HOLLANDIÆ* (Lath.). (131.)

Crested Goatsucker, Phill. Bot. Bay, t. p. 270.

Caprimulgus novæ-hollandiæ, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 588. 18.

Caprimulgus cristatus, Shaw in White's Voy. 241, pl.

New-Holland Goatsucker, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 261.

Caprimulgus cristatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. lviii.

Bristled Goatsucker, Lath. Gen. Hist. vii. 342.

*126. *MACRODIPTERYX LONGIPENNIS*, Cuvier. (68.)

Caprimulgus macrodipterus, Afzel. Descr. Sierra Leone, t.; Lath. Ind. Orn. Suppl. lix.

Caprimulgus longipennis, Shaw, Nat. Misc. t. 265.

Leona Goatsucker, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 264. 8.
Africa.

*127. *ANTROSTOMUS CAROLINENSIS* (Gmel.). (198.)
N. America.

*128. *CAPRIMULGUS*? (222.)
From Dalrymple Bay; not retained in the collection.

CYPSELIDÆ.

*129. *CHÆTURA CAUDACUTA* (Lath.). (92.)
Needle-tailed Swallow, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 259. 3.
Hirundo caudacuta, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. lvii. 1.
? *New-Holland Swallow*, Lath. ibid. 259. 4.
? *Hirundo pacifica*, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. lviii. 2.

It seems to me probable that a specimen from Dalrymple Bay is the type of Latham's *Hirundo caudacuta*.

HIRUNDINIDÆ.

130. *PETROCHELIDON ALBIVENTRIS* (Bodd.). (17.)
Cayenne. Not mentioned by Latham as existing in the
Mus. Lever.

CORACIADÆ.

131. *EURYSTOMUS ORIENTALIS* (Linné).
No longer in the collection. Latham says nothing of the
presence of a bird of this species in the Leverian Collection.

MEROPIDÆ.

132. *MEROPS BADIUS*, Gmel. (43.)
No longer in the collection.
*133. *MEROPS ORNATUS*, Lath. (212.)
Variiegated Bee-eater, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 155.
16, t. 128.
Merops ornatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxxv. 11.
A young bird from Botany Bay.

GALBULIDÆ.

134. *GALBULA PARADISEA* (Linné). (56.)
A specimen called *Alcedo paradisea*, from Cayenne or Su-

rinam. According to Latham this species was represented in the Leverian Collection.

MELIPHAGIDÆ.

135. MYZOMELA SANGUINOLENTA (Lath.). (217.)

Botany Bay (*Certhia*, sp.).

*136. ACANTHORHYNCHUS TENUIROSTRIS (Lath.). (148.)

Slender-billed Creeper, Lath. Gen. Synop. Suppl. ii. 165. 22, t. 129.

Certhia tenuirostris, Lath. Ind. Orn. Suppl. xxxvi. 5.

Male?

137. MELIPHAGA NOVÆ-HOLLANDIÆ (Lath.). (20, 34.)

New Holland Creeper, White, Journ. Voy. New S. Wales, p. 186, pl.

Certhia novæ-hollandiæ, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 296. 49.

The specimen, perhaps White's and Latham's type, is no longer in the collection.

*138. PTILOTTIS FLAVIGULA, Gould. (220†.)

Dalrymple Bay, Tasmania.

139. PROSTHEMADERA NOVÆ-ZEELANDIÆ (Gmel.). (57.)

New-Zealand Creeper, Brown, Illustr. 1776, 18, t. 9 (from a stuffed specimen in the possession of Marmaduke Tunstall, Esq.); Forst. Voy. i. 519.

Poë Bee-eater, Cook's Voy. i. 48. 150; Lath. Gen. Syn. ii. 682. 17 (Mus. Lever.).

Merops novæ-seelandiæ, Gmel. Syst. i. 464.

Merops cincinnatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 275. 18.

Male (n. 3, *Merops cincinnatus*). New Zealand.

*140. ANTHOCHÆRA INAURIS, Gould. (150.)

Male? (*Merops carunculatus*). Erroneously entered with the locality New Zealand.

† There is in our collection a specimen of *Ptilotis carunculata* (Gmel.), which agrees well with Latham's description of the individual without orange-colour under the throat (Gen. Synops. ii. 7. 33), and which may perhaps have been in the Leverian Museum. Our bird also corresponds well with Forster's description (Descr. An. 165), except that the dimensions are smaller. I believe it not improbable that it was obtained during Cook's Voyage. The old catalogue gives Tongataboo as its habitat.

141. *ANTHOCHÆRA CARUNCULATA* (Lath.). (34.)

Female or young; no longer in the collection.

*142. *TROPIDORHYNCHUS CARUNCULATUS* (Lath.)? (279.)

Erroneously designated as from Otaheite.

Another specimen (*Merops*, n. 1), bought by Herr von Fichtel, does not appear to be that figured by White (Journ. Voy. New S. Wales, 190, t.).

*143. *MANORHINA MELANOPHRYS* (Lath.). (229.)

Black-browed Thrush, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 185.

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Turdus melanophrys, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xlii. 15.

Female? (August, 1802). New Zealand.

144. *MELITHREPTUS LUNATUS* (Shaw). (41.)

Certhia lunata, Shaw, Vieill. Ois. Dor. ii. t. 61 (drawing from the living bird in the collection of Mr. Shaw, and description furnished by Mr. Parkinson); Shaw, Gen. Zool. viii. 224.

Evidently a younger bird than that represented in Vieillot's work.

*145. Gen.? Sp.? (223.)

Certhia, from Dalrymple Bay; not retained in the collection.

DENDROCOLAPTIDÆ.

146. *OXYRRHAMPHUS FLAMMICEPS* (Temm.). (26.)

Brazil.

147. *DENDRORNIS PARDALOTUS* (Vieill.). (28.)

Cayenne—called (Levaill. Prom. 1807, t. 30) *Oriolus picus*.

*148. *DENDROPLEX PICUS* (Gmel.). (227.)

Cayenne.

149. *SITTELLA CHRYSOPTERA* (Lath.). (16.)

Orange-winged Nuthatch, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii.

146. 3, pl. 227.

Sitta chrysoptera, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxxii.

A specimen from New Holland, perhaps the type of Latham's description and figure in the Suppl. ii., with which I have not been able to compare it.

MENURIDÆ.

*150. *MENURA SUPERBA*, Davies. (286.)

A female or young male (*Parkinsonia superba*), agreeing with Vieillot's figure (Ois. Dor. ii. t. 16), but without the loose ends of the tail-feathers, and with 16 not 14 rectrices.

TROGLODYTIDÆ.

151. *CYPHORHINUS MUSICUS* (Bodd.). (14.)

Cayenne. Not mentioned by Latham as existing in the Mus. Lever.

LUSCINIIDÆ.

152. *MALURUS CYANEUS* (Gmel.). (58.)

Motacilla cyanea, Ellis, Narrative Voy. performed by Capts. Cook and Clerke, 1776-1780, 22; Gmel. Syst. i. 991. 165 (incl. var. β).

Superb Warbler, Lath. Gen. Synops. iv. 501. 137.

Sylvia cyanea, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 545. 142.

Motacilla superba, Shaw, in White's Journ. Voy. New S. Wales, 256, pl. (upper figure); idem, Nat. Misc. i. t. 10.

A specimen marked *Sylvia cyanea*.

Latham says that this species was in the Museum Leverianum, and gives a figure of a specimen which does not agree with our bird, which seems more similar to the individual from the collection of Sir Joseph Banks, alluded to by Latham, and to the figure in White's Journal (upper figure). Latham's figure and description seem, according to the measurements and the habitat, perhaps to belong to *Malurus longicaudus*, Gould; and if this supposition should be corroborated, the name of "*cyaneus*" must be transferred to the latter species, and for the other the next oldest denomination, *i. e.* *superbus*, Shaw, would stand.

153. *MALURUS LAMBERTI*, Vig. et Horsf. (156.)

Male; New Holland.

154. *TATARE LONGIROSTRIS* (Gmel.). (10.)

Of the specimen from Eimco I have already spoken under n. 23 of this paper.

155. PETROICA ERYTHROGASTRA (Lath.). (15.)

A specimen (*Muscicapa erythrogastra*), apparently a male, badly prepared, was transferred to the duplicates.

TURDIDÆ.

*156. GEOCICHLA RUBECULA, Gould. (118.)

A specimen from Java (?); no longer in the collection.

PYCNONOTIDÆ.

*157. CINCLOSOMA PUNCTATUM (Lath.). (210, 211.)

Punctated Thrush, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 187. 32.

Turdus punctatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xlv. 23.

158. GARRULAX SINENSIS (Scop.).

Female (*Corvus auritus*, n. 27) already mentioned under n. 29.

Male and female from Dalrymple Bay.

DICRURIDÆ.

*159. CHIBIA HOTTENTOTTA (Linné). (100.)

This specimen, not mentioned by Latham in his description of the Hottentot Crow (Gen. Syn. i. 380. 10), was formerly labelled *Edolius setaceus*, Natterer.

ARTAMIDÆ.

*160. OCYPTERUS, sp.? (221.)

Dalrymple Bay; this bird was not placed in the collection.

*161. PTILONORHYNCHUS HOLOSERICEUS, Kuhl. (219.)

Female (or young?), from Dalrymple Bay, shot in April 1802. Iris black.

ORIOIDÆ.

162. ORIOLEUS VIRIDIS (Lath.). (33.)

Female (?); no longer in the collection.

FORMICARIIDÆ.

*163. GRALLARIA VARIA (Bodd.). (129.)

Latham does not say that a specimen of the King Thrush (Gen. Synops. iii. 89. 122) was in the Leverian Museum.

164. PITHYS RUFIGULA (Bodd.).

No longer in the collection.

MUSCICAPIDÆ.

*165. MYIAGRA NITIDA, Gould. (224.)

Red-breasted Tody, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 147,
female.

Todus rubecula, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxii.

Male from Dalrymple Bay.

166. SAULOPROCTA MOTACILLOIDES (Vig. et Horsf.). (23.)

Specimen (23), under the name *Turdus volitans*, from New
Holland.

167. TCHITREA PARADISI (Linné). (28.)

This bird is no longer in the collection.

*168. GRAUCULUS MELANOPS (Lath.). (157.)

Black-faced Crow, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 116.

Corvus melanops, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxiv. 1.

This specimen not in the collection.

TYRANNIDÆ.

*169. ATTILA RUFIGULARIS, Pelzeln. (140.)

Thamnophilus xanthopygus, Jos. (?) Natterer, in Collect.

Attila rufigularis, Pelzeln, Zur Ornith. Bras. 96 et 170.

Habitat not given.

170. ELAINEA MARTINICA (Linné). (40, 26?)

Muscicapa martinicana cristata, Briss. Orn. ii. 362, t. xxxvi. 2.

Gobe-mouche huppé de la Martinique, Buff. Ois. v. 249;

Pl. Enl. 568. f. 1.

Muscicapa martinica, Linné, Syst. i. 325. 3; Gmel. Syst.

i. 930; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 483. 62.

Martinica Flycatcher, Lath. Gen. Synops. iii. 352. 52.

? *Muscicapa albicapilla*, Vieill. Ois. Am. Sept. i. 66 (St.

Domingo), partim (viii. t. 37).

Myiobius martinicus (Linné), Gray, Gen. Birds, 249, sp. 27.

Tyrannula martinica (L.), Bonap. Consp. i. 190; Cassin,

Proc. Acad. Philad. 1860. 375 (St. Thomas).

Elainea riisii, Selater, P. Z. S. 1860, 313 (St. Thomas); A. Newton, Ibis, 1860, 307; Selater, Catal. Collect. 217; Gray, Hand-list, i. 352 (St. Thomas, Barbadoes); Selater, P. Z. S. 1870, 834.

No longer in the collection†.

171. PITANGUS SULPHURATUS (Linné). (31.)

Cayenne?

COTINGIDÆ.

172. TITYRA CAYANA (Linné). (12.)

A female from Cayenne, no longer in the collection.

Latham in his Synopsis only speaks of the existence of an old male in the Mus. Lever.

*173. COTINGA POMPADORA (Linné)? (226.)

Grey Shrike, Lath. Gen. Synops. i. 184. 36 (female or young).

Ampelis cinerea, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 367. 11.

A bird from Cayenne, named *Lanius*, sp., and *Coracina cinerea*, which is not to be found in our collection, belonged probably to this species.

174. CHIROMACHÆRIS GUTTUROSA (Desm.). (32.)

Black-capped Manakin, Edwards, Lath. Gen. Synops. iv. 521. 4, et var. partim (Br. Mus., Lever. Mus.).

Pipra manacus, Linné; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 556. 6, partim. Brazil.

LANIIDÆ.

*175. COLLURICINCLA SELBII, Jardine. (215, 216.)

Young male and female (*Lanius*, sp.), both from Dalrymple Bay.

*176. CRACTICUS TORQUATUS (Lath.). (152.)

Clouded Shrike, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 73. 10.

Lanius torquatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xviii. 4.

Specimen called *Lanius curvirostris*, var. seu nova species.

† A specimen marked *Muscapa martinica* has been recently found; but it does not belong to this species, being a young bird of *Pachyrhamphus polychropterus* (Vieill.).

*177. *FALCUNCULUS FRONTATUS* (Lath.). (151.)

Frontal Shrike, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 75. 14, t. 122.

Lanius frontatus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xviii. 8.

*178. *PARDALOTUS STRIATUS* (Lath.)? (155.)

The specimen, marked *Pipra striata*, was in bad condition, and therefore not placed in the collection.

*179. *PACHYCEPHALA GUTTURALIS* (Lath.). (154.)

The bird named in the inventory *Muscicapa pectoralis* belonged probably to this species; it is no longer in our Museum.

CORVIDÆ.

180. *PERISOREUS INFAUSTUS* (Linné). (4.)

Siberian Jay, Lath. Gen. Synops. i. 390. 26.

Siberia (*Corvus sibiricus*).

Latham says nothing of the existence of a specimen of this species in the Museum Leverianum.

ICTERIDÆ.

181. *XANTHOSOMUS ICTEROCEPHALUS* (Linné). (30.)

Cayenne?

PLOCEIDÆ.

*182. *TEXTOR PANICIVORUS* (Linné)? (133.)

A bird with the designation *Loxia panicivora* was transferred to the duplicates in 1806.

*183. *ESTRElda BELLA* (Lath.). (149.)

Black-lined Grosbeak, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 198. 16.

Nitid Grosbeak, Lath. ibid. 198. 17. t. 131.

Loxia bella, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xlvi. 8.

Loxia nitida, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xlvii. 9.

Male?

*184. *ESTRElda TEMPORALIS* (Lath.). (218, 19.)

Temporal Finch, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 211. 15.

Fringilla temporalis, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xlviii. 4.

Specimen 19 (*Fringilla temporalis*), from New Holland, was bought by Herr von Fichtel; the other (*218) was not retained in the collection.

*185. *AMADINA GUTTATA* (Shaw). (147.)

Spotted Grosbeak, Lewin, *Birds New Holl.* t. 9.

Loxia guttata, Shaw, *Mus. Lever.* vi. (1796) 47. pl.

? *White-headed Finch*, Lath. *Gen. Synops. Suppl.* ii. 210. t. 132.

Fringilla leucocephala, var., Lath. *Ind. Orn.* ii. *Suppl.* xlvi.

1. var.

Shaw's plate is taken from a bird in the Leverian Museum ; but our specimen does not seem to be the same.

TANAGRIDÆ.

186. *EUPHONA LICHTENSTEINII* (Cabanis). (23.)

? *Golden Tanager*, Lath. *Synops.* iii. 239. 35, partim (*Mus. Lever.*).

? *Tanagra violacea*, Linné ; Lath. *Ind. Orn.* ii. 429. 33, partim.

Female or young (*Tanagra violacea*) from Cayenne. The bird in the collection does not agree with Latham's description of the female, and is in such a state of preparation that I believe that the old specimen has been replaced by some more recently acquired bird.

COLIIDÆ.

*187. *COLIUS STRIATUS*, Gmel. (99.)

Specimen (*C. senegalensis*?) not mentioned by Latham.

RAMPHASTIDÆ.

188. *PTEROGLOSSUS VIRIDIS* (Linné). (3.)

Green Toucan, Lath. *Gen. Synops.* i. 131. 9 (*Brit. Mus., Lever. Mus.*).

Ramphastos viridis, Lath. *Ind. Orn.* i. 138. 9.

Female ? (n. 1), from Cayenne.

PSITTACIDÆ.

*189. *PLATYCERCUS FLAVIVENTRIS* (Temm.). (214.)

Dalrymple Bay, Tasmania.

*190. *BROTOGERYS TUIPARA* (Gmel.). (124.)

Red-fronted Parrot, Lath. *Gen. Synops.* i. 308. 115 (no specimen in the *Mus. Lever.*).

Golden-winged Parrakeet, Lath. *ibid.* 309. 116 (Mus. Lever.).

Latham's short description of the Golden-winged Parrakeet does not agree well with our specimen.

191. *BROTOGERYS VIRESCENS* (Gmel.). (3.)

Specimen from Cayenne? (*Psittacus virescens*); given to the Zoological Museum at Troppau, Silesia, May 1859.

Latham (Gen. Synops. i. 244. 43) indicates that this specimen was in the Mus. Lever.

192. *DOMICELLA TAITIANA* (Gmel.). (29.)

This bird is no longer in the collection. According to Latham this Parrot was contained in the Leverian Museum.

*193. *TRICHOGLOSSUS CONCINNUS* (Shaw). (309.)

Psittacus concinnus, Shaw, Nat. Misc. iii. (1789) t. 87.

Pacific Parrot, var., Phill. Voy. Bot. Bay, 155, pl.

Psittacus australis, Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 104. 66.

Crimson-fronted Parrot, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. (1802) 87; *idem*, Gen. Hist. ii. (1822) 181, cum varr. A, B, C.

Psittacus pacificus, Shaw, Gen. Zool. viii. 419.

Botany Bay.

*194. *TRICHOGLOSSUS DISCOLOR* (Shaw). (158.)

Psittacus discolor, Shaw in White's Voy. 263, t.; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxi. 6; Shaw, Gen. Zool. viii. 466.

Red-shouldered Parrakeet, Phill. Voy. Bot. Bay, 269; Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. (1802) 90.

Our specimen differs somewhat in coloration from the plate in White's Voyage.

*195. *TRICHOGLOSSUS PUSILLUS* (Shaw). (153.)

Psittacus pusillus, Shaw, White's Journ. Voy. N. S. Wales, 1790, 262; Lath. Ind. Orn. i. (1790) 106. 71.

This bird does not agree well with the plate above quoted.

*196. *PIONIAS MELANOCEPHALUS* (Linné). (125.)

This specimen is evidently that described by Latham (Gen. Synops. i. 305. 112) as differing a little from the author's description; in the black colour of the bill and the whitish ashy breast and belly this bird resembles Edwards's pl. 169.

*197. CALYPTORHYNCHUS SOLANDRI (Temm.). (146a, 146b.)
Psittacus banksii, varr. β et γ ? Lath. Ind. Orn. i. 107. 76
 β , γ ?

Psittacus magnificus, Shaw, Mus. Lever. 1796. 17.

Banksian Cockatoo, var. A, Lath. Synops. Suppl. ii. (1802)
 63, et var. B.

Two males ; it seems to me not probable that either of them
 was the original of Shaw's plate.

PICIDÆ.

*198. CAMPIAS, sp. ? (228.)

Cayenne (*Picus*, sp. ; *P. passerinus*, juv.).

199. CELEUS CINNAMOMEUS (Gmel.). (9.)

Pl. Enl. 524, male.

Ferruginous Woodpecker, Lath. Gen. Synops. ii. 592. 42
 (Mus. Lever.).

Picus cinnamomeus, Gmel. Syst. i. 428 ; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii.
 240. 45.

Our specimen agrees very well with Latham's description
 of the female, and seems to be his type.

*200. CELEUS MULTICOLOR (Gmel.). (91.)

Male, from Cayenne?

Latham, in his description of the Black-breasted Wood-
 pecker (Gen. Synops. ii. 593. 43), does not mention a specimen
 in the Museum Leverianum ; perhaps this specimen was a
 later acquisition.

201. MELANERPES FLAVIFRONS (Vieill.). (12.)

This specimen is no longer in the collection.

CUCULIDÆ.

*202. CUCULUS PALLIDUS (Lath.). (208, 209.)

Pale Pigeon, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 270.

Columba pallida, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. ix. 5.

Adult male from Botany Bay, and young bird from Dal-
 rymple Bay.

*203. CUCULUS FLABELLIFORMIS, Lath. (207.)

Fan-tailed Cuckoo, Lath. Gen. Synops. ii. 138. 11, t. 126.

Cuculus flabelliformis, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. Suppl. xxx. 6.

From Dalrymple Bay, Tasmania; perhaps Latham's type.

I have not been able to compare the plate.

204. CUCULUS IMPERATUS, Gould.

Botany Bay (*Cuculus*, sp.).

COLUMBIDÆ.

205. LEPTOPTILA RUFAXILLA (Rich. et Bern.). (11.)

Brazil?

CRACIDÆ.

*206. ORTALIDA MOTMOT (Linné). (300.)

Cayenne (*Phasianus motmot*).

PHASIANIDÆ.

207. POLYPECTRON CHINQUIS (Temm.). (55.)

Pavo tibetanus, Briss. Orn. i. 294, t. xxviii. A, f. 2; Linné, Syst. i. 268; Gmel. Syst. i. 731; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 617. 4.

Chinquis, Buffon, Ois. ii. 385.

Iris Peacock, Lath. Gen. Synops. iv. 673. 3 (deser. nec synon.).

Thibet Peacock, Lath. Gen. Synops. iv. 675. 4.

Pavo bicalcaratus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 617. 3, partim; Shaw, Mus. Lever. (1792) 73, pl.

Pavo tibetanus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 617. 4.

A male bought through Herr von Fichtel, is expressly said in the catalogue to be from the Museum Leverianum. It is certainly the specimen mentioned by Latham (*Iris Peacock*, Gen. Synops. iv. 657. 3) as contained in the Museum Leverianum (though the description there seems copied from Brisson), and the type of the description of the male of the so-called *Pavo bicalcaratus*, and of Shaw's description and plate.

"These birds (male and female) are indigenous to China, from whence they have been brought alive into England, and were for some time in the possession of Dr. James Monro. The male is now in the Museum Leverianum in the finest preservation."—LATHAM.

208. *LOPHOPHORUS IMPEYANUS* (Lath.). (54.)

Impeyan Pheasant, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. 208. 11, t. cxiv. (specimens of the male bird in the Leverian Museum).

Phasianus impeyanus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 632. 11.

Phasianus curvirostris, Shaw, Mus. Lever. iii. 191, plate.

Male; no longer in the collection.

TETRAONIDÆ.

*209. *TETRAO CUPIDO*, Linné. (96.)

Male from Canada?; transferred to the duplicates.

*210. *TETRAO*, sp. (325.)

Grouse from North America; in bad state and therefore not retained in the collection.

211. *COTURNIX CHINENSIS* (Linné). (21, 227.)

Male and female.

STRUTHIONIDÆ.

212. *DROMEUS NOVÆ HOLLANDIÆ* (Lath.). (50.)

Young bird.

TINAMIDÆ.

*213. *TINAMUS VARIEGATUS* (Gmel.). (97.)

Latham does not mention the presence of a specimen of this species in the Leverian Museum.

HÆMATOPIDÆ.

214. *HÆMATOPUS UNICOLOR*, Forst. (*H. fuliginosus*, Gould). (35.)

New Holland.

ARDEIDÆ.

*215. *ARDEA NOVÆ HOLLANDIÆ*, Lath. (321, 41.)

White-fronted Heron, Phill. Bot. Bay, 163, pl.; Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. ii. 304.

Ardea novæ hollandiæ, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 701. 88.

One specimen (321) may possibly be Latham's type; the other (41) was bought from Herr von Fichtel.

*216. *ARDEA SCAPULARIS*, Illig. (315, 316.)

Two specimens from Cayenne; one of which (315) was transferred to the duplicates in 1832. Latham (Gen. Synops. v. 68. 30) says that this species was represented in the Museum Leverianum.

217. *TIGRISOMA BRASILIENSE* (Linné).

Specimen from Cayenne, possibly that mentioned by Latham (Gen. Synops. v. 62, 25) as contained in the Museum Leverianum. Transferred to the duplicates.

218. *NYCTICORAX VIOLACEUS* (L.). (39.)

Cayenne; not indicated by Latham as being in the Mus. Lever.

PLATALEIDÆ.

219. *PLATALEA AJAJA*, Linné. (8.)

Latham (Gen. Synops. v. 16. 2) mentions no specimen from the Mus. Lever.; his description and plate seem to be based on that of Brisson.

The bird is no longer in the collection.

TANTALIDÆ.

220. *IBIS RUBRA* (L.) (53.)

Latham (Gen. Synops. v. 106. 2) remarks that this species was in the British and in the Leverian Museums.

SCOLOPACIDÆ.

*221. *NUMENIUS PHÆOPUS*, Linné, var. *hudsonica*. (270.)

Hudsonian Curlew, Lath. Gen. Synops. Suppl. 243. 11.

Numenius hudsonicus, Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 712. 7; Baird, Rep. 744; Schlegel, Mus. Pays-Bas, *Scolop.* 100.

Numenius phæopus, L.; Pelzeln, Zur Ornith. Brasil. 308.

Cayenne.

The differences between *N. phæopus* and *N. hudsonicus*, as exposed by Schlegel *l. c.*, seem to me not sufficient for specific separation, especially in a Wader of so wide a geographical distribution.

222. *RECURVIROSTRA RUBRICOLLIS*, Temm. (42.)

Avosetta, Damp. Voy. iii. 123, pl. f. 3 (Sharks' Bay, New Holland).

American Avoset, Lath. Gen. Synops. v. 295. 2, t. 92, partim (Mus. Lever.).

Perhaps the specimen n. 28 is that mentioned by Latham as being in the Leverian Collection.

RALLIDÆ.

*223. *RALLUS MACULATUS*, Bodd. (142.)

Cayenne?; the bird agrees very well with Pl. Enl. 775.

*224. *ARAMIDES CAYENNENSIS* (Gmel.). (313.)

Cayenne.

According to Latham this species was contained in the Museum Leverianum.

*225. *TRIBONYX MORTIERI*, Du Bus. (197.)

Dalrymple Bay, Tasmania.

PARRIDÆ.

*226. *HYDROPHASIANUS CHIRURGUS* (Scopoli). (262.)

Young or in winter plumage; from Bengal.

ANATIDÆ.

227. *NETTAPUS ALBIPENNIS*, Gould. (37.)

Female or young bird. In the inventory no habitat was given. In the collection it is indicated as "*India orientalis*," but probably only on account of the former descriptions of *Anas coromandeliana*.

Besides this specimen, we are in possession of a male and female of *N. albipennis* from New Holland, purchased (1846) from Herr Parreyss.

*228. *DENDROCYGNA AUTUMNALIS* (Linné). (314.)

Female, Cayenne; no longer in the collection.

According to Latham this species was represented in the Museum Leverianum.

229. *AIX GALERICULATA* (Linné). (52 *a* et 52 *b*.)

Male and female ; the male does not appear to be the original of Shaw's plate (Mus. Lever. 89).

230. *ANAS SUPERCILIOSA*, Gmel. (7.)

Supercilious Duck, Lath. Gen. Synops. vi. 497. 45 (from the drawings of Sir Joseph Banks ; New Zealand).

Anas superciliosa, Gmel. Syst. i. 537 ; Lath. Ind. Orn. ii. 852. 51.

Anas leucophrys, Forster, Drawings, n. 77 ; idem, Descr. An. 93 (New Zealand).

Specimen from New Holland ; no longer in the collection.

PROCELLARIIDÆ.

*231. *DIOMEDEA EXULANS*, Linné. (283.)

An adult white Albatros without label is probably the specimen of the inventory.

LARIDÆ.

*232. *STERNA FULIGINOSA*, Gmel. (213.)

A specimen in the collection agrees very well with Latham's description of the Sooty Tern (Gen. Synops. vi. 352) ; but it is not certain whether it is really the same as that from Dalrymple Bay, mentioned in the inventory.

*233. *GYGIS CANDIDA* (Sparrm.). (84, 85.)

Two specimens, on which Latham seems to have based the description of his White Tern (Gen. Synops. vi. 363. 17, et Suppl. 266).

Latham says it "inhabits Christmas Island and other parts of the South Seas, seen also off the island of St. Helena." It is probable that our birds are from the former island.

PLOTIDÆ.

*234. *PLOTUS NOVÆ-HOLLANDIÆ*, Gould. (293.)

Male, Botany Bay ; no longer in the collection.

PELECANIDÆ.

235. *GRACULUS SULCIROSTRIS* (Brandt). (38.)

Carbo sulcirostris, Brandt, Bullet. Acad. St. Pétersb. iii. 56 (habitat unknown).

Phalacrocorax sulcirostris, Brandt ; Gray, List Birds Brit. Mus. iii. (1844) 185 (habitat unknown) ; Gould, Birds Austral. vii. t. 67.

Haliæus sulcirostris, Bonap. Consp. ii. 178.

Haliæus (*Microcarbo*) *stictocephalus*, Bonap. Consp. ii. 178.

Graculus sulcirostris, Schlegel, Mus. Pays-Bas, *Pelecani*, 1863, 13 (Australia ?, Borneo, Amboina, Halmahera).

Phalacrocorax stictocephalus (Bonap.), Gould, Hand-b. B. Austral. ii. 495.

Carbo squamatus, Mus. Vindob. MS.

New Holland.

236. *GRACULUS MELANOLEUCUS* (Vieill.). (37, 6.)

A specimen from New Holland in our Museum is probably that mentioned in the inventory.

XIV.—*On a new Species of Barbet from Western India.*

By Capt. J. HAYES LLOYD.

By the kindness of Mr. R. B. Sharpe I have had an opportunity of inspecting the collection of Megalæmidæ in the British Museum ; and I find, as I have long suspected, that the small green Barbet of Western India is distinct from the *Megalæma viridis* of Malabar and Southern India, being distinguishable by its greater size and more pronounced markings. In the Messrs. Marshall's monograph of the Capitonidæ, reference is made under *M. viridis* (the colour of the bill of which, by the way, is given correctly in the letterpress, but wrongly in the plate) to a bird obtained by Col. Sykes in the Deccan, the dimensions of which were too large for *M. viridis* and too small for *M. caniceps*. To any one possessing local knowledge the locality quoted must sound vague ; but I have little doubt that Col. Sykes's bird was the species of